



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Youichirou SUGINO et al.**

Confirmation No.: **9498**

Serial Number: **09/882,671**

Group Art Unit: **1774**

Filed: **June 15, 2001**

Examiner: **DICUS, TAMRA**

For: **POLARIZER, POLARIZING PLATE, AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY
USING THE SAME**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: February 19, 2004

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated May 20, 2003, the period for response having been reset to January 20, 2004 by the filing of a Notice of Appeal on November 20, 2003, for one month from January 20, 2004 to February 20, 2004.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$880.00 (\$110.00 + \$770.00) to cover the cost of the extension and the Request for Continued Examination. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

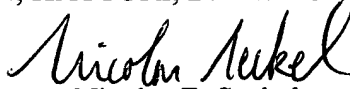
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